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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Docket No. LA-6185-221XX
Application No. 09/721,058	Filing Date November 22, 2000	Examiner M.Q. Jimenez	Art Unit 5421

Applicant(s): Jeffrey W. Chen

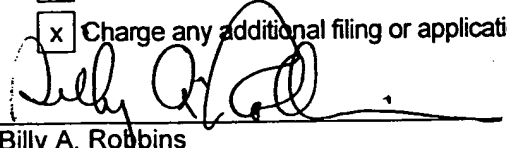
Invention: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ATTACHING HEAT EXCHANGE UNIT AND VALVE TO THE BOTTOM OF SELF-COOLING....

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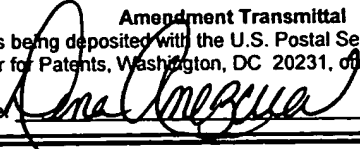


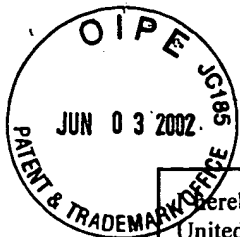
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application Of:)
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Jeffrey W. Chen)
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Serial No.: 09/721,058)
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Filing Date: November 22, 2000)
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Entitled: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR)
ATTACHING HEAT EXCHANGE)
UNIT AND VALVE TO THE BOTTOM)
OF SELF-COOLING AND SELF-)
HEATING FOOD OR BEVERAGE)
CONTAINERS)
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Examiner: Marc Quemuel Jimenez
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated December 7, 2001, Applicant hereby responds as follows:

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